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FROM BOB SARGENT

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: SHUM, TPHY, PINS, BU (MARINOV, STEFAN MARINOV)  
SUBJECT: MARINOV CASE

REF: STATE 06655

1. REGRET CAN ADD VIRTUALLY NOTHING TO MY EARLY SUBMISSION ON MARINOV CASE. TO BEST MY RECOLLECTION AFTER MORE THAN THREE YEARS, THE SINGLE CASE IN WHICH I RECALL PERSONAL ROLE INVOLVED PERSON DRESSED IN PAJAMAS WHO INDICATED HE HAD COME TO EMBASSY BY TRAM. NO RECOLLECTION AT ALL OF DATE ALTHOUGH ALMOST CERTAINLY AFTER MID-1973. QUITE CONFIDENT INCIDENT BEGAN AND ENDED DURING WORKING HOURS. RECALL THAT PERSON WAS ESSENTIALLY INCOHERENT. I CANNOT ADD ANYTHING TO MY EARLIER STATEMENT REGARDING POSSIBLE INVOLVEMENT DAVE FISCHER AND CHRIS SNOW IN SUCH CASES.

2. IS PHOTO OF MARINOV AVAILABLE? IF SO, YOU MAY WISH TO TRY TO ARRANGE FOR EXAMINATION BY SNOW, FISCHER AND ME.

3. IF OFFICER CONVERSANT WITH CASE AND RELEVANT PROBLEMS WERE TO BE IN BRUSSELS AREA IN NEAR FUTURE, WOULD BE HAPPY TO MEET WITH HIM TO SEE IF MIGHT SOMEHOW BE ABLE TO ASSIST  
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IN DEVELOPING PRESS GUIDANCE. NORMALLY SLOW TO SEE HIDDEN HOSTILE HAND IN SUCH CASES, I WONDER IF IT IS NOT CONCEIVABLE THAT BULGARIAN STATE SECURITY HAS LAUNCHED MARINOV AT USG IN EFFORT TO COMPLICATE OUR PURSUIT OF HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUE IN EASTERN EUROPE. HEIMANN

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